OFFICIAL BALLOT.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS FOR CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND,
WESTMINSTER, OCTOBER 20th, 1897.

In compliance with the provisions of Section 44 of Article 33 of the Code of Public General Laws, notice is hereby given that the nominations hereinafter mentioned have been filed with or certified to this Board under the provisions of Article 33 of Code of Public General Laws. The nominations which have been so filed with or certified to this Board will be on the official ballots, arranged as nearly as practicable in the form and order below set forth. The form below is that of an official ballot for Carroll County, Maryland.

A **X** made in the large square space to the right of emblem or party name at the head of party ticket means a vote for all the names in that column and no other X is required.
A **X** made in the small space at right of name of candidate means a vote for the particular person opposite whose name the X is placed.
A **X** made at right of emblem and also opposite one or more of the names of persons in any other column or group then the vote so cast shall be regarded as given for all the candidates under such marked party emblem or name except the candidate or candidates under such party emblem or name whose name or names is or are opposite to the name or names so marked, and also for the candidate or candidates whose name or names is or are so marked.



Make your X mark here for entire Ticket.

Republican Ticket.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
PHILLIPS LEE GOLDSBOROUGH,
of Dorchester County.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals:
ALLAN RUTHERFORD,
of Montgomery county.

For Associate Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit:

For Clerk of the Circuit Court:
WILLIAM JESSE ROBERTS.

For Register of Wills:
JOSEPH D. BROOKS.

For Sheriff:
EZEKIAH D. BOWERSOX.

For House of Delegates:
CLOTWORTHY BIRNIE.

CHARLES H. SMITH.

ALPHEUS STANSBURY.

CHARLES W. OTTO.

For County Commissioner:
JESSE SMITH.

For County Treasurer:
ALFRED T. BUCKINGHAM.

For County Surveyor:
WELDON B. WOODEN.



Make your X mark here for entire Ticket.

Democratic Ticket.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
THOMAS A. SMITH,
of Caroline County.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals:
JOHN FRANK FORD,
of St. Mary's County.

For Associate Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit:
I. THOMAS JONES,
of Howard County.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court:
JAMES HOWELL BILLINGSLEA

For Register of Wills:
NICHOLAS W. STEELE.

For Sheriff:
EPHRAIM HAINES.

For House of Delegates:
MILTON M. NORRIS,

BENJAMIN F. CROUSE,

JAMES W. TAYLOR,

DANIEL J. HESSON.

For County Commissioner:
DANIEL S. DIEHL.

For County Treasurer:
JOHN E. MASENHIMER.

For County Surveyor:
PHILIP C. KENNEDY.



Make your X mark here for entire Ticket.

Prohibition Ticket.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
JAMES W. FRIZZELL,
of Baltimore City.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals:
RICHARD T. TURNER, Jr.,
of Kent County.

For Associate Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit:
ISAAC THOMAS JONES,
of Howard County.

For Clerk of the Circuit Court:
CALVIN R. CHEW.

For Register of Wills:
JOHN UHLER.

For Sheriff:
PHILIP B. MYERS.

For House of Delegates:
JAMES E. EVANS,

AUSTIN H. GEISELMAN,

WM. H. HOOD,

EDWARD SHAEFFER.

For County Commissioner:
JESSE F. SHREEVE.

For County Treasurer:
JACOB HOUCK.

For County Surveyor:



Make your X mark here for entire Ticket.

Socialist Labor Ticket.

For Comptroller of the Treasury:
WILLIAM WHIPKEY,
of Baltimore City.

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals:

For Associate Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit:

FOR Constitutional Amendment.

CHAPTER 459, OF ACTS OF 1896.

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AGAINST Constitutional Amendment.

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CHAS. C. ENGEL, Clerk.

By order of the Board,
HOWARD F. SCHAEFFER, PRESIDENT.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Forty tickets were sold at the Westminster Station to visitors to the Frederick Fair this week. The unfavorable weather deterred many from venturing on the trip.

Mr. Dennis Dudderar, an aged citizen of Franklin district, near Taylorsville, is very ill with dropsy of the heart. His daughter, Miss Flora M. Dudderar, is also suffering severely from nervous prostration.

Mr. John Wagner, assignee of mortgagee, Messrs. Reifsnider & Reifsnider solicitors, sold, on Monday last a farm of 44 acres, less one perch, a mile from this city on the Gorsuch road, which belonged to Mr. J. Q. Stitely, to Mr. Wm. B. Thomas for $1,743.

The federal grand jury in Baltimore, on Wednesday, indicted William H. Hull, late postmaster at Beggs, this county, for alleged falsifying of his accounts of cancellation. The jury dismissed the case of Burgess S. Miller, of Taneytown, this county, charged with sending an obscene letter through the mails.

The County Commissioners were engaged chiefly in routine business at their meeting on Monday. Special pensions of $10 each were granted to Rosanna Bart, of district No. 9, and Joseph Shanebrough, of district No. 2. The board ordered the sum of $30 to be paid to Samuel L. Fuss for the support of Margaret Six, of district No. 10.

A note to the editor of the SENTINEL from Shellsburg, Iowa, says: "Mrs. Caroline S. Shucey, widow of the late Abraham Greenwood, died at the home of her son, Mr. George Greenwood, near Shellsburg, Benton county, Iowa, October 6th, 1897. She was born in Maryland, January 13th, 1825." The note is from Mrs. Greenwood's daughter, Mrs. Belle Fossett, Shellsburg.

Notice has been given of the intended incorporation of the Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg Railroad Company in Pennsylvania. Application will be made to the Governor of that State on the 13th of November for the charter. The incorporators are J. B. Colegrove, C. F. Frothingham, A. G. Denniston, Charles H. Duttera, John A. Shorb, and Solomon D. Mehring, of Littlestown; John A. Hughes, Samuel M. Bushman, C. A. Trostle, David G. Minter, Amos J. Collins and Jacob F. Waybright.

Friday evening, 22nd inst., after the issue of this SENTINEL has reached many of its readers, Hon. J. W. Fitzzell, the Prohibition candidate for Comptroller, will address a meeting at Carroll Hall, this city. Mr. Chas. H. Stanly, who is represented to be a "poet, singer, wit and humorist," will, it is represented, "be present and delight the audience."

The Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States is in session at Hagerstown, where it convened on Tuesday. Rev. C. S. Slagle, of this city, and Rev. A. Bateman, of Taneytown, are in attendance as ministerial delegates, and Mr. O. A. Haines, of Silver Run, as an elder. Mr. Haines is a member of the Committee on Education.

The editor of the SENTINEL has to thank the Westminster Gas Light Company for placing a Welsbach burner on the gas bracket at his desk, thereby greatly increasing the illuminating power of the gas, making its light perfectly steady and free from flickering, and at the same time decreasing the amount of gas consumed. The "Welsbach" is certainly a great invention.

State Fire Marshal E. J. Lawyer and bride were the recipients of a serenade by the Carroll County Band, accompanied by the Westminster Fire Engine and Hose Company No. 1, of which Marshal Lawyer is president, at their home on Pennsylvania avenue, this city, on Friday evening last. Chief F. K. Herr on behalf of the band and department extended their congratulations and good wishes. The occasion was a very pleasant and enjoyable one to all concerned.

A twelve year-old son of Mr. John Zahn, of this district, found a cat rifle cartridge on Sunday last and attempted to remove the bullet with his knife. An explosion resulted and the bullet penetrated the inside of the left knee. The lad was taken to the office of Dr. M. L. Bott, who probed for the bullet but was unable to locate it. A large incision was made in the effort to find the missile, and Dr. Bott is of the opinion that it lodged in the knee joint and the injury is consequently of a serious character.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Sellman, of Sykesville, was the scene of a select dance on Wednesday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Sellman, Misses May Sellman, Myra Gartrell, Mamie Hatfield, Annie Favour, Katie Lee, Estella Riffle, Helen and Fannie Legoinde, of Baltimore, and Messrs Bud and Marshall Sellman, Chas. and Frank Barnes, George Grimes, Geo. Gosnell, Harry Hatfield, William Brown, Charles Jones, Oscar Flanigan, James Grandberry and D. Shriver Brandenburg.

Shortly before midnight of Wednesday a fire occurred in the photograph gallery of Mr. H. A. Plumley, corner Green and Liberty streets, this city, which, though soon suppressed by the fire department, which promptly responded to an alarm, caused the loss of a considerable amount of property. The building, which is a frame structure, is owned by Mr. Wm. B. Thomas. It was damaged to the extent of $150 to $200. Mr. Plumley, who occupied the second floor, estimates the damage to apparatus, fixtures and stock at $1,500 to $1800, upon which he has an insurance of $845 in the Westchester Company of New York, Messrs. Fuss & Roop, agents. Mr. Thomas has a policy for $500 on the building, in the National Company of Hartford, Conn., Messrs. Wilson & Goodwin, agents. The stock of groceries, confectionery and notions belonging to Mr. Urish W. Miller, who occupies the first floor, was damaged to the amount of $100 by water. Mr. Miller has no insurance.

Some of the ablest speakers in the State will address the meeting of the Republican Club of Westminster district, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Monday night, 25th inst.

Mr. Harvey Haines, of this city, while painting at the dwelling of Mr. Charles V. Wantz, on Monday last, accidentally fell a distance of thirty feet into the cellar and sustained severe injuries to his back and lower part of the backbone, besides contusions on other parts of the body. Fortunately no bones were broken. Dr. M. L. Bott rendered the necessary attention to his injuries.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Western Maryland Railroad Company and the Baltimore and Cumberland Valley Railway Company was held on Wednesday at the president's office, Hillen Station, Baltimore. Directors of the Western Maryland were elected as follows: Messrs. Charles W. Slagle, Thomas J. Shryock, representing Baltimore city; Wm. Updegraff and John W. Cable, Washington county, and Granville S. Haines, Carroll county. Eight Baltimore city directors hold over. The Baltimore and Cumberland Valley elected as directors Messrs. John M. Hood and Lloyd L. Jackson, of Baltimore city; B. Abner Betts and Charles W. Humrichouse, Washington county; Abram O. Frick, Waynesboro, Pa., Henry A. McComas, Washington county, and George R. Gehr, Carroll county.

Mr. Alfred H. Barnes, a well known citizen of Westminster district, died at his home, near Warfieldsburg, on Friday evening, 15th inst., in his 64th year. His death was caused by typhoid fever, contracted while discharging his duties as an employe of the Baltimore custom house. He was only ill about ten days. Mr. Barnes was a farmer, but took an active interest in politics. He was a Democrat, but his genial disposition and pleasant manner won his almost universal friendship and his death made many sad hearts. He was kind, generous and charitable to all classes of people, without regard to race or condition, and will be sincerely lamented. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters. His mother, aged about eighty-seven years, is also a member of his household. Funeral services were held at the historic Stone Chapel M. E. Church, of which he was a member, on Monday, in the presence of a large assemblage.

For the SENTINEL.

Sweigart-Shipley.

A quiet wedding took place at the Lutheran parsonage, this city, Wednesday, 20th inst., at 7.30, P. M., by the pastor, Rev. P. H. Miller. The contracting parties were Mr. Harry L. Sweigart and Miss Carrie May, daughter of Edwin Shipley. The bride was attired in green novelty cloth trimmed in silk, with hat and gloves to match. After the ceremony a reception was given at Mr. U. L. Reaver's residence, East Main street, where refreshments, consisting of cake, fruits, &c., were served. The bride and groom received many useful presents and the hearty congratulations of those who were informed of the event.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., October 16th, 1897.

Easton, Fred.	Reese, G. W.
Edwards, C. A.	Reese, Miss Jennie
Lieber, Mrs. Biggs	Shower, Mrs. Sallie A.
McK Sweeney, Manda	Smith, S. L.
Miller, John T.	Smith, Miss Mary L.
Pearce, Mrs. Lydia	Stern, Wm. F.
Phillips, Fred.	Toliver, Miss Alma

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised.

JOSEPH B. BOYLE, P. M.

Jurors for the November Term.

Judge Roberts drew the jurors for the November term of the Circuit Court for Carroll county on Monday last. The term will begin Monday, November 8th. The list of jurors, by districts, is as follows:

Taneytown—William Six, Ezra K. Reaver, George E. Knox and William H. Flickinger.

Uniontown—Arthur D. Benedict, Lewis T. Reese, John Royer, and S. James Little.

Myers'—George A. Formwalt, William H. Dodrer and Solomon Boose.

Woolery's—Milton S. Brown, Murray Shreev, Marion Green and Charles H. Niner.

Freedom—John McDonald, William T. Bowers, George W. Gist, Louis H. Schultz and Lafayette Barnes.

Manchester—David Jones, William Hahn, Samuel M. Starmer, Amos Saubel and Henry Dice.

Westminster—William H. Wantz, Chas. E. Yingling, Samuel Miller, John T. Wagner, Henry Gunther, George E. Eckenrode, John Sellers, Herman A. Dierst and Augustus H. Stonesifer.

Hampstead—Adam Diehl, Ephraim M. Turner and Thomas Bucher.

Franklin—Jacob Rigler and Thomas Smith.

Middleburg—John R. Koontz of Jacob and Edwin H. Sharretts.

New Windsor—Joseph Bowers, John W. Barnes and Samuel W. Bond.

Union Bridge—John B. Eppley and Dr. G. R. Markel.

Mount Airy—Luther Montgomery and William A. Harrison.

Morgan Items.

A very much needed rain visited this section Tuesday of last week, benefitting wheat already sown. Our farmers have finished sowing their grain, and have commenced husking corn. One farmer of this neighborhood had a large field and part of another ploughed gratuitously by a philanthropically disposed friend, thus enabling him to seed that land with little difficulty.

Mr. Wm. Fowble and his son Ernest are quite ill. Dr. Hellinger, of Sykesville, is attending them.

The condition of Miss Leona Gosnell is not at all improved. On the contrary she is very low.

Protracted meetings commenced at Morgan Chapel this week, Rev. Copes in charge. The Sunday School has decided to hold its annual entertainment on October 30th.

Mr. Wm. Wilson, of Porters, did not purchase Mr. Milter's farm, but bought elsewhere.

Several apple trees on the farm of Mr. Jerry Elms were partly in bloom last week, but we believe will not bear fruit until next year.

Mrs. J. McElfresh, of Baltimore, spent several days visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Warfield, last week.

Frizellburg Items.

The new organ purchased by the Y. P. C. S. arrived on Wednesday and will be dedicated on Sunday evening. Services will begin at 7 o'clock at the usual place of meeting. Rev. J. A. Weigand, of Westminster, will be present on the occasion.

Mr. Sterling S. Snader, of Connellsville, Pa., came home last Sunday to attend the burial of his grandmother. Several days prior to his return on Wednesday, he spent with his parents in this place.

Mr. Robert Baust grew 28 pumpkins averaging 20 pounds on three vines.

Last Monday Mr. Harry Bankerd, Mrs. William Haines, Mr. S. M. Bish and wife, Mr. Leonard Zile, wife and daughter, Bessie, made a very pleasant visit to the insane asylum at Sykesville.

Gamber Items.

Mr. S. M. Harden, the young man who was killed in the recent freight wreck on the W. M. R. R. near Chewsville, was buried in the family lot at Mt. Pleasant on Sunday amid a vast concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. He was well beloved by all who knew him, and his grave was strewn with most lovely flowers by his friends.

The remains of Mrs. Georgianna Barnes, an aged and highly respected lady, were laid to rest at Mt. Pleasant, on Sunday last. Mrs. Barnes was attacked a short time ago with paralysis which, owing to her advanced age, proved fatal. She was a consistent Christian lady and loving wife, a kind and affectionate mother and a friend to all. She will be sorely missed in her neighborhood.

Warren, the two-year-old son of Mr. W. L. Shipley, while playing about the floor on Thursday evening last, had the misfortune to fall, breaking one of the bones of his right forearm. Dr. S. N. Gorsuch rendered necessary surgical aid and he is now doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

While playing about the room at Mrs. J. W. Sellers' residence, on Friday last, Lewis, a young son of Mr. Lewis Shipley, by some means upset a table on which there was a lighted lamp. The lamp, in falling, struck the child in the face, cutting him quite severely, but after a liberal application of court plaster Lewis is doing finely.

The union revival meeting, which had been in progress at this place for the previous four weeks, came to a close on Sunday night last.

We are glad to learn that Uncle Billy has again been appointed postmaster at this place; the right man in the right place.

Manchester Items.

Inadvertently the name of Miss Lizzie Trump was missed from those who were present at the birthday party of Mrs. Julia M. Motter last week.

A large congregation was present at the communion services held on Sunday morning last, by Rev. S. M. Roeder, in Trinity Reformed Church of this place. Rev. C. M. Eyster held similar services in German in the Lutheran Church at the same time, which were well attended.

On Sunday evening Rev. Roeder preached a sermon to young men, from the text, Ps. 119, verse 9, which service the members of Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, I. O. O. F., attended in a body in full regalia, it having been the anniversary of the institution of their lodge. 63 years ago Daniel Hoover and Jacob Shower, with a number of others, applied for the charter to institute a lodge, but failed to give a name for the same in their application. The Grand Officers, without any delay, took the baptismal names of the first two and inserted in the charter the name of Daniel and Jacob.

Mr. Leonard Stump, one mile on the Westminster road, sold his home and 12 acres of land to Mr. Charles Keck, for the sum of $500. Mr. S. will soon vacate the same to accept a position at the dairy of Mr. C. C. Wooden, of Hampstead.

Messrs. Sherman & Co. have bored a well 82 feet deep in the yard of Mr. Chas. H. Everhart that has a tested depth of 27 feet of pure water.

The remains of the infant child of Mr. George Pfeiffer, of Woodberry, were brought here on Monday and interred in the U. B. Cemetery, Rev. Sollenberger officiating.

Mr. Charles Hoff, of Hampstead, who has purchased the Washington House from Mr. Jacob Frederic, is having necessary repairs made to the same and expects to occupy it in the spring.

Corn husking is becoming general in this section. A large crop will be gathered.

Mrs. Seranda Shaffer and her son-in-law, Mr. Bert Bubb, of Sticks, Pa., spent Sunday with Mrs. D. L. Dubbs and friends.

Rev. [redacted], of [redacted], Pa., visited Mrs. David H. Hoffacker last week.

Mrs. Dr. T. A. Shower, of Frederick, is visiting friends here.

Messrs. J. W. and H. J. Hoffacker spent Monday on the Hoffman dam, with boat, fishing for pike and were rewarded with some fine large fish.

Dr. Jno. F. B. Weaver, who was confined to his room for more than a week with congestion of the lungs, is convalescing and able to be in the office and give attention to practice.

The members of Daniel and Jacob Lodge No. 23, I. O. O. F., were notified on Wednesday of the death of one of their old members in the person of Mr. John Shaffer, who died at his Hampstead home on the morning of that day.

Orphans' Court.

Monday, October 18th.—William H. Wantz and Romanus J. Wantz, executors of Emanuel Wantz, deceased, returned list of sales of goods and chattels and reported sale of real estate.

Letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Wilson, deceased, were granted to Catharine M. Wilson.

Morgan G. Clary, administrator of James A. Clary, deceased, returned list of sales of goods and chattels and received order to notify creditors.

Mary Fowble and William O. Fowble, executors of Richard Fowble, deceased, settled first and final account.

Joseph Gosnell, administrator of Aaron Gosnell, deceased, settled first and final account.

Adam P. Yingling, executor of Sarah Yingling, deceased, settled first and final account.

Tuesday, October 19th.—Petition of David K. Brown, Jr., surviving husband of Ida May Brown, deceased, finally ratified.

Catharine Cootes, acting executrix of Peter Lingenfelter, deceased, settled first and final account.

John Milton Reifsnider, administrator will annexed of Anthony S. Diller, deceased, returned inventory of goods and chattels, and received order to notify creditors.

Report of sale of Daniel Utz, deceased, finally ratified.

Report of sale of leasehold property of Andrew N. Stephan, deceased, finally ratified.

Shipley Items.

Fall work is progressing nicely here and every body seems very busy. Work is plentiful and our daily laborers are kept busily employed. Grain sowing is about over, and the early sown grain is up and looking nicely. Those who have threshed their buckwheat claim that the yield is only ordinary. A few are making apple butter, but there was less cider made in our community this summer and fall than for many years past.

Since the game permits, our sportsmen have been capturing the squirrels and rabbits and many a nice stew and fry has been had. Grey squirrels and rabbits were never, since our earliest recollection, more numerous in our section than now. Some say that ground hogs and partridges are equally numerous. We have noticed that the cool days of this month have brought to view many flocks of snow birds, something rare in this climate so early in autumn.

Republican Meetings.

The meeting of the Republican Club of Westminster District, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Monday night, was well attended and able and effective speeches were made by Leon Greenebaum, Esq., of the Baltimore bar, and Hon. W. W. McIntire, member of Congress from the Fourth district of Maryland. The president of the club, Wm. A. Cunningham, Esq., presided and introduced the speakers.

On Wednesday evening a Republican mass meeting was held at the same place, at which addresses were made by Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Esq., Republican candidate for Comptroller, and W. C. Smith, Esq., deputy State's Attorney of Baltimore. Wm. B. Thomas, Esq., presided and made a short, but admirable introductory speech. Mr. Goldsborough paid his first visit to this city on the occasion. He made a very favorable impression upon the large audience which turned out to greet him in spite of the dismal and inclement weather. He spoke clearly and logically of the issues of the campaign, reviewing the Republican administration of affairs in Maryland during the last two years, contrasting it with that of the Democratic party preceding, and claiming greater economy and more beneficent results for the former, and arraying facts and figures from official sources in support of the proposition. He declared with emphasis that every ante election pledge made by the Republicans in 1895 had been amply and fully redeemed, and cited the passage of the assessment, election and free school book laws of 1896, and the beneficent results which, he claims, have flowed from them in proof of his declaration.

Mr. Smith also made a forcible and interesting speech. Both speakers were heard with close attention and unmistakable marks of approbation.

Freedom Items.

Mrs. Adam Fuss, of McKinstry's Mills, visited the families of Messrs. Ebbert and Beck on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fuss and daughter, of McKinstry's Mills, visited at Mr. Nathan Hymiller's, near Berret, over Sunday, two weeks ago, and Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Wilson on Sunday.

Mrs. Hymiller has a single B. Arborea which bore 400 flowers during the summer and is still blooming.

Mrs. John K. Deckabaugh and daughter, of Freedom; Mr. W. Fowble and son, near Morgan, and Miss Pearl Selby, near Hood's Mill, are on the sick list.

The remains of Mr. Isaiah Brown's little child, which died at the age of 11 months, were interred at Freedom on the 5th inst.

Misses Minnie and Cora Hymiller, Messrs. John Hymiller and F. J. C. Hughes attended the Hagerstown Fair on Thursday of last week. Miss Cora had her pocketbook, containing $10 50, two return tickets and a pair of gloves taken.

Personal.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas J. Cross, of Laytonsville, visited Dr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Baughman, of this city, this week.

Miss Ethel B. Seabrook, of Baltimore, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. W. Seabrook, of this city.

Mr. Jno. C. Shreeve and bride, of this city, arrived, from their bridal trip on Wednesday evening and are "at home" at their residence on West Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mitten, of this city, visited from Saturday till Tuesday last, Mrs. Julia A. Phillips, of Laurel, Del. Their daughter, Miss Florence Hoff Mitten, who had been spending some time with Miss Carrie Phillips, a former classmate at Western Maryland College, returned home with them.

Union Mills Items.

Mr. William J. Feeser, of Silver Run, who was a helpless invalid for about fifteen years, died of paralysis of the nerves, last Sunday morning, aged nearly seventy-four years. In early life he followed the occupation of farming. He was a consistent member of the Reformed church. Mr. Cyrus Feeser and Mr. David Feeser are brothers of his. Mr. Feeser was twice married. His second wife, who died within the past year, was Mrs. Bittinger. By her he had one son, Arthur W. Feeser, who now resides at Silver Run. The surviving children by his first wife are: Ezra of Waynesboro, Pa.; Jacob H., of Adams county, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Dodrer, of Virginia; William F., Mrs. William Frock, Mrs. Cyrus Rump, Mrs. Harvey Morelock, of Silver Run. The funeral took place at Silver Run cemetery, on Wednesday morning, 20th inst., Rev. Dr. A. F. Dreisbach officiating.

Last week Rev. John G. Noss paid his first visit to this vicinity since his resignation as pastor of the Silver Run charge of the Reformed church, over two years ago. He preached, by invitation of his successor, Rev. Dr. A. F. Driesbach, to his old congregation, both at the morning and evening services, on Sunday, 17th inst. His sermons were fully up to the speaker's high standard and the large audience gave him close attention. During his visit he moved about amongst his former parishioners as much as possible and was everywhere most cordially received. He was the guest of Mr. H. Wirt Shriver. On Monday morning he took his departure, going to Westminster, where he spent the night with Rev. C. S. Slagle. On Thursday he went to Hagerstown to attend a meeting of the society for the relief of disabled ministers and their widows, from which place he will go to Milton, Pa., to be present at the meeting of the Eastern Synod, before the return to his home in New Holland, Pa. While at Union Mills the reverend gentleman received word that his daughter, Miss Emma Noss, who resides in Florida, had returned home on a visit.

There has been some thieving going on in our neighborhood, recently. On Friday or Saturday night of last week, in the absence of all the members of the family, the residence of Mrs. Susan Bowers was entered by robbers. Several bureau drawers were ransacked and fifteen dollars in money and a certificate of deposit for fifty dollars, in the Westminster Saving's Institution, stolen. An entrance was effected by breaking through a cellar window. On the 18th inst. Mr. B. F. Shriver had a hog slaughtered. It was left hanging out of doors until the next day and in the morning it was discovered that the head had been cut off and carried away during the night.

Let there be a good turn out at the Republican meeting at Dr. Earhart's drug store on Friday evening, 29th inst. Good speakers and a band of music will entertain you.

Mrs. B. F. Shriver and Miss Madeline Shriver visited Niagara Falls last week.

Roseville Items.

Mr. Henry Zimmerman is still very ill with dropsy and heart trouble.

The Mt. Union Sunday School closed its sessions on the 3rd inst. 155 packages of candies were given out, with bananas, peanuts &c., and gladly received by the children. To the children were also given a fine lot of Bibles, books and cards as rewards. About twenty dollars was expended. The Mt. Union Y. P. C. U. is still in a flourishing condition, and working according to their motto: "For the Glory of God, and Salvation of Men."

Pleasant Valley Items.

Mrs. Hannah Powell, an aged widow lady of this vicinity, fell down a flight of steps on Monday and broke her hip bone in the joint. Dr. J. Rinehart, of Frizellburg, adjusted the fracture, but on account of Mrs. Powell's age the injury is a very serious one and will probably render her permanently helpless.

Mrs. Rufus Starner was stricken with paralysis on Monday and sustained a second attack on Wednesday. She is in a critical condition. Dr. Weaver, of Taneytown, is her attending physician.

For the SENTINEL.

Death of Samuel Marion Harden.

Samuel Marion Harden, second son of Jesse Marion and Mrs. Hallie C. Harden, was born March 29th, 1875. He was widely known through Baltimore and Carroll counties through his connection with his father in the threshing and saw-milling business. He was a young man universally respected and esteemed for his high moral character, and his cheerful and obliging disposition. He was a consistent Christian and an affectionate son and brother. He was popular among all his acquaintances. During his early boyhood, as well as after his profession of religion, he was noted for his refusal to stoop to any of the petty misdeeds of boyhood. He was injured in the collision of the trains of the Western Maryland Railroad at Chewsville, on the afternoon of October 14th, and died the following morning, without having regained consciousness. He had been fireman on the road for about six weeks. His body was brought to the home of his parents on the 16th, and was interred at Mount Pleasant Church, in Carroll county, on Sunday, 17th. Funeral services were held at 11 A. M., in the Lutheran Church at Reisterstown, and were conducted by Rev G. H. Beckley, his pastor, assisted by Rev. C. S. Stanton. A large concourse of people had gathered, many of whom could not gain admittance. When the funeral had reached the burying ground another large crowd of acquaintances had gathered, and desired to see the remains of the deceased. The body was taken into the church, and short services held, after which the casket was opened, and for nearly an hour the vast multitude passed through the aisles viewing the body. The entire community was plunged in gloom and sympathy with the stricken family, and they have the prayers of all Christian people that God may sustain them under this terrible stroke. Thus has passed suddenly to his eternal reward, a young man whose life was full of promise and whose future was supposed by all to be only bright and successful. "None knew him but to love him; none named him but to praise."

A FRIEND.

Taylorsville Items.

On Friday last the remains of Mrs. Sarah Mount were interred at the M. E. Church at Brownsingsville, Montgomery county. Deceased was born near Fountain Mills, Frederick county, on February 27th, 1812, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mullinix, near Woodbine, October 11th, 1897, aged 85 years, 7 mos. and 14 days. Wm. Mount, husband of the deceased, has been dead for 40 years, and until recently deceased lived alone, but when her health began to fail her daughter, Mrs. Mullinix, brought her to her home. She had many friends in this and adjoining counties. Rev. Thomas E. Copes officiated at the interment.

Mr. T. A. Barnes, Mr. Brown and Mr. Franklin are pushing the work on the new school house.

On Monday last Mr. Barnes was at Westminster attending the meeting of the county central committee. He also made arrangements when there for additional desks for the academy.

On this Saturday the Mt. Olive Sunday School will have its festival, and on Saturday of next week the West Falls School will have its treat.

On Wednesday evening a number of our people attended the Republican rally at Westminster, among whom were Messrs. T. A. Barnes, C. Tucker, and Prof. Heapes. All enjoyed the address by Mr. Goldsborough. Your correspondent has been personally acquainted with Mr. Goldsborough for several years, both socially and from a business standpoint, and would say to our people that there is no man in the state who stands higher in his own community than does Mr. Goldsborough. He is just the man to serve the people as comptroller.

The Franklin-Freedom Republican club had its regular weekly meeting on Thursday night.

On Thursday of next week Mr. Joseph D. Brooks, of the Westminster bar, candidate for Register of Wills, will address our club and the public, on the issues of the campaign. All of our voters should hear Mr. Brooks, the man who has not only the legal qualifications, but is also one of the best penmen in the county, two things essential for the office.

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